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Re: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Puget Sound Energy*,

 Docket UE-161123

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and five (5) copies of Public Counsel’s Answer to Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition’s Petition for Administrative Review, and the Certificate of Service.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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 I, Chanda Mak, do hereby certify that I have this day served a true and correct copy of *Public Counsel’s Answer to NW and Intermountain Power Producer’s Petition for Administrative Review* to all parties of record listed and by the manner indicated below:

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